



Serial No. 09/811,523

Docket No.: 1405.1041

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Hiroshi YAMADA, et al.

Serial No. 09/811,523

Group Art Unit: 2115

Confirmation No. 9422

Filed: March 20, 2001

Examiner: Chun Cao

For: INFORMATION PROCESSING DEVICE HAVING OPERATIONAL MODES, CONTROL METHOD FOR THE INFORMATION PROCESSING DEVICE HAVING OPERATIONAL MODES, AND RECORDING MEDIUM STORING CONTROL PROGRAM FOR THE INFORMATION PROCESSING DEVICE HAVING OPERATIONAL MODES (AS AMENDED)

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed March 4, 2004, and having a period for response set to expire on June 4, 2004.

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.

If there are any additional fees associated with filing of this Amendment, please charge the same to our Deposit Account No. 19-3935.



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REPLY/AMENDMENT FEE TRANSMITTAL	Attorney Docket No.	1405.1041	
	Application Number	09/811,523	
	Filing Date	March 20, 2001	
	First Named Inventor	Hiroshi YAMADA, et al.	
	Group Art Unit	2115	
AMOUNT ENCLOSED	0.00	Examiner Name	Chun Cao

FEE CALCULATION (fees effective 10/01/03)					
CLAIMS AS AMENDED	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For	Number Extra	Rate	Calculations
TOTAL CLAIMS	18	- 20 =	0	X \$ 18.00 =	\$ 0.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	6	- 6 =	0	X \$ 86.00 =	0.00
Since an Official Action set an <u>original</u> due date of <u>June 4, 2004</u> , no petition is hereby made for an extension to cover the date this reply is filed.					
If Notice of Appeal is enclosed, add (\$330.00)					
If Statutory Disclaimer under Rule 20(d) is enclosed, add fee (\$110.00)					
Information Disclosure Statement (Rule 1.17(p)) (\$180.00)					
Total of above Calculations =					\$ 0.00
Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity (37 CFR 1.9, 1.27 & 1.28)					
TOTAL FEES DUE =					\$ 0.00

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SUBMITTED BY: STAAS & HALSEY LLP			
Typed Name	Mehdi D. Sheikerz	Reg. No.	41,307
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